

REMARKS

Favorable consideration of this application and entry of the foregoing amendments are respectfully requested.

The Notification of Missing Requirements indicates that submission of the oath/declaration is required. In fact, the oath/declaration was filed September 14, 2001. A further copy of the September 14, 2001 filing is submitted herewith, together with a copy of the postcard receipt evidencing that filing.

The specification has been amended to include the Sequence Listing submitted herewith on separate sheets. Entry of the Sequence Listing does not raise the issue of new matter as the sequence information contained therein is presented in the application as originally filed. The computer readable copy of the Sequence Listing submitted herewith is believed to be the same as the attached paper copy of that Listing.

An early and favorable Action on the merits is
requested.

Respectfully submitted,

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